

ABSTRACT:

A cathode ray tube provided with at least one oxide cathode comprising a cathode carrier with a cathode base of a cathode metal and a cathode coating of an electron-emitting material containing a particle-particle composite material of oxide particles of an alkaline earth oxide selected from the group formed by the oxides of calcium, strontium and barium, and oxide particles having a first grain size distribution of an oxide selected from the group formed by the oxides of scandium, yttrium and the lanthanoids, and oxide particles having a second grain size distribution of an oxide selected from the group formed by the oxides of scandium, yttrium and the lanthanoids. The invention also relates to an oxide cathode.

Fig. 1